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FOR: EB/TRP - MR. THOMAS O'DONNELL
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SUBJECT: COFFEE -- MEXICAN PROPOSAL FOR EXECUTIVE BOARD
MEETING

1. INTERNATIONAL COFFEE ORGANIZATION (ICO) HAS CIRCULATED LETTER DATED AUGUST 8 1977 FROM THE MEXICAN PERM REP, GURRIA, TO ICO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BELTRAO, CONTAINING A DRAFT PROPOSAL WHICH MEXICO PLANS TO SUBMIT TO THE NAIROBI EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING ON MEXICO'S STOCKING PROPOSAL. LETTER QUOTES FROM THE PREAMBLE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE AGREEMENT AS WELL AS PARA 4, ARTICLE 51, WHICH STATES "THE COUNCIL SHALL UNDERTAKE A STUDY OF THE FEASIBILITY OF SUPPORTING THE OBJECTIVES OF THIS AGREEMENT BY AN INTERNATIONAL STOCK ARRANGEMENT".

2. LETTER CONTINUES INTER ALIA THAT IN VIEW OF "EXCESSIVELY VIOLENT FLUCTUATION, BOTH UPWARDS AND DOWNWARDS" OF MARKET, MEXICO PROPOSES FOLLOWING DRAFT RESOLUTION:

"1. THE EXECUTIVE BOARD RECOMMENDS THAT THE COUNCIL TAKE PROMPT ACTION TO IMPLEMENT THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH (4) OF ARTICLE 51 OF THE INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT 1976 AND OF THE PROVISIONS RELATED TO IT.

2. THE EXECUTIVE BOARD SHALL INSTRUCT THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL COFFEE ORGANIZATION TO PREPARE THE TERMS OF REFERENCE AND THE POINTS FOR DISCUSSION CONSIDERED NECESSARY SO THAT THE COUNCIL MAY TAKE THE ACTION DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1.

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3. PRIOR TO THE SESSION OF THE COUNCIL TO BE HELD NEXT SEPTEMBER, OR PREFERABLY DURING THAT SESSION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL SUBMIT TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD THE TERMS OF REFERENCE AND POINTS FOR DISCUSSION WHICH HE HAS PREPARED, TOGETHER WITH ANY PERTINENT RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING HOW THE MEASURES DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 1 SHOULD BEST BE CARRIED OUT. THE BOARD SHALL THEN STUDY THIS SET OF PROPOSALS AND, IF IT SEES FIT, SHALL SUBMIT THEM IMMEDIATELY TO THE COUNCIL IN THE FORM OF A DRAFT RESOLUTION.

4. MEMBER COUNTRIES HAVING SUGGESTIONS TO PUT FORWARD REGARDING THE MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED IN THIS CONNECTION OR HAVING ANY CONTRIBUTION TO MAKE ON THE SUBJECT IN GENERAL ARE ASKED TO SUBMIT THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IN WRITING TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SO THAT THEY MAY BE CIRCULATED AND TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT IN THE PROPOSALS WHICH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND THE BOARD MAY MAKE TO THE COUNCIL NEXT SEPTEMBER."

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